



State of Washington
Application for a Water Right

Please follow the attached instructions to avoid unnecessary delays.

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Section 1. APPLICANT - PERSON, ORGANIZATION, OR WATER SYSTEM

Name Owl Creek Water System Home Tel: (360) 231 - 4352
Mailing Address 11310 Lewis River Road Work Tel: (360) 430 - 9450
City Ariel State WA Zip+4 98603 + _____ FAX: (360) 231 - 4193

Section 2. CONTACT - PERSON TO CALL ABOUT THE APPLICATION

☒ Same as above

Name Gary Stuart (GPM Water Systems, Inc.) Home Tel: (_____) _____ - _____
Mailing Address _____ Work Tel: (_____) _____ - _____
City _____ State _____ Zip+4 _____ + _____ FAX: (_____) _____ - _____
Relationship to applicant Owner of Water System

Section 3. STATEMENT OF INTENT

The applicant requests a permit to use not more than 15 (☒ gallons per minute or ☐ cubic feet per second) from a ☐ surface water source or ☒ ground water source (check only one) for the purpose(s) of Domestic Supply for community water system. ATTACH A "LEGAL" DESCRIPTION OF THE PLACE OF USE (Legal Description is on last page). (See instructions.) NOTE: A tax parcel number or a plat number is not sufficient.
Estimate a maximum annual quantity to be used in acre-feet per year: 13

☐ Check if the water use is proposed for a short-term project. Indicate the period of time that the water will be needed:
From ____/____/____ to ____/____/____

Section 4. WATER SOURCE

If SURFACE WATER					If GROUNDWATER			
Name the water source and indicate if stream, spring, lake, etc. If unnamed, write "unnamed spring," "unnamed stream," etc.:					A permit is desired for <u>one</u> well.			
Number of diversions: _____					The well has an Ecology Tag of ALJ 378.			
Source flows into (name of body of water):					Size & depth of well(s): 6" Well 603 feet deep with a 6" casing to 98' and 4.5" liner to 603'.			
LOCATION								
Enter the north-south and east-west distances in feet from the point of diversion or withdrawal to the nearest section corner: Well #5: 455 feet north and 800 feet east of the Southwest Corner of Section 8, Township 7N, Range 1W, of the Willamette Meridian.								
¼ of	¼ of	Section	Township	Range(E/W)	County	If location of source is platted, complete below:		
						Lot	Block	Subdivision
SW	SW	8	7N	1W	Cowlitz			
For Ecology Use Date Received: <u>3-2-07</u> Priority Date: <u>3-2-07</u>								
SEPA: Exempt/Not Exempt _____ FERC License # _____ Dept. Of Health # _____								
Date Accepted As Complete <u>3-2-07</u> By <u>SC</u> Date Returned _____ By _____ WRIA: <u>26</u>								

Section 5. GENERAL WATER SYSTEM INFORMATION

- A. Name of system, if named: Owl Creek Water System
- B. Briefly describe your proposed water system. **(See instructions.)**

Existing water system is a community water system of with 41 existing connections in the Rose Valley area of Cowlitz County south of Kelso. 4 wells in an upper aquifer went dry in the summer of 2006 forcing the water system to drill the deeper well (Well #5). Well #5 (ALJ 378) was drilled in the summer of 2006 and in an emergency situation because the other 4 wells no longer produced water. Well #5 was drilled to a depth of 603 feet. A 5 HP submersible pump has been installed at a depth of 590 feet with a capacity of 15 gpm based on pump test results.

The water system has existing water rights (G2-28408P) for the shallower wells.

- C. Do you already have any water rights or claims associated with this property or system? ☒ YES ☐ NO
PROVIDE DOCUMENTATION.

Section 6. DOMESTIC / PUBLIC WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM INFORMATION (Completed for all domestic/public supply uses.)

- A. Number of "connections" requested: 45 Type of connection Single Family Homes
(Homes, Apartment, Recreational, etc.)
- B. Are you within the area of an approved water system? ☒ YES ☐ NO
If yes, explain why you are unable to connect to the system. *Note: Regional water systems are identified by your County Health Department. New well will serve the existing water system. The other wells of the water system have lost capacity and no longer provide enough water to serve the water system.*

Complete C. and D. only if the proposed water system will have fifteen or more connections.

- C. Do you have a current water system plan approved by the Washington State Department of Health? ☐ YES ☒ NO
If yes, when was it approved? _____ Please attach the current approved version of your plan.
- D. Do you have an approved conservation plan? ☐ YES ☒ NO
If yes, when was it approved? _____ Please attach the current approved version of your plan.

Section 7. IRRIGATION/AGRICULTURAL/FARM INFORMATION (Complete for all irrigation and agriculture uses.)

- A. Total number of acres to be irrigated: _____
- B. List total number of acres for other specified agricultural uses:
- | | |
|-----------|-------------|
| Use _____ | Acres _____ |
| Use _____ | Acres _____ |
| Use _____ | Acres _____ |
- C. Total number of acres to be covered by this application: _____
- D. Family Farm Act (Initiative Measure Number 59, November 3, 1977, as amended by Chapter 237, Laws of 2001)
Add up the acreage in which you have a controlling interest, including only:
‡ Acreage irrigated under water rights acquired after December 8, 1977;
‡ Acreage proposed to be irrigated under this application;
‡ Acreage proposed to be irrigated under other pending application(s).
1. Is the combined acreage greater than 6000 acres? ☐ YES ☐ NO
2. Do you have a controlling interest in a Family Farm Development Permit? ☐ YES ☐ NO
If yes, enter permit no: _____
- E. Farm uses:
Stockwater - Total # of animals _____ Animal type _____ (If dairy cattle, see below)
Dairy - # Milking _____ # Non-milking _____

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Use this page to continue your answers to any questions on the application. Please indicate section number before answer.

Section 3: Statement of Intent

Legal Description of property on which water from Well #5 is to be used:

The properties (parcel #, address) being served water or may be served water in the future include the following lots located in Section 8 of Township 7N, Range 1W, of the Willamette Meridian:

- WD0812012 – 133 Owl Creek Road, WD0812004 – 1102 Rose Valley Road
- WD0812013 – 151 Owl Creek Road, WD0812009 – 144 Owl Creek Road
- WD0812011 – 171 Owl Creek Road, WD0813007 – 174 Owl Creek Road
- WD0812010 – 187 Owl Creek Road, WD0813006 – 186 Owl Creek Road
- WD0812001 – 205 Owl Creek Road, WD0813005 – 196 Owl Creek Road
- WD0811001 – 221 Owl Creek Road, WD0813001 – 106 Owl Creek Court
- WD0811014 – 235 Owl Creek Road, WD0811016 – 116 Owl Creek Court
- WD0811013 – 251 Owl Creek Road, WD0803011 – 130 Owl Creek Court
- WD0811012 – 265 Owl Creek Road, WD0803010 – 140 Owl Creek Court
- WD0811011 – 281 Owl Creek Road, WD0803009 – 150 Owl Creek Court
- WD0811010 – 295 Owl Creek Road, WD0803002 – 160 Owl Creek Court
- WD0811015 – 115 Owl Creek Court, WD0811003 – 170 Owl Creek Court
- WD0811006 – 145 Owl Creek Court, WD0808004 – 224 Owl Creek Court
- WD0808008 – 234 Owl Creek Court, WD0808006 – 244 Owl Creek Court
- WD0813002 – 1108 Rose Valley Road, WD0813004 – 1112 Rose Valley Road
- WD0803016 – 110 Willowbrook Road, WD0803018 – 151 Willowbrook Road
- WD0803017 – 134 Willowbrook Road, WD0803019 – 160 Willowbrook Road
- WD0803013 – No Address, WD0803014 – 216 Willowbrook Road
- WD0803015 – 232 Willowbrook Road, WD0803012 – 256 Willowbrook Road
- WD0812014 – 328 Maple Hill Road N
- WD0811009 – 440 Maple Hill Road N, WD0811008 – 460 Maple Hill Road N
- WD0811007 – 508 Maple Hill Road N, WD0811005 – 516 Maple Hill Road N

The following properties in Section 7 of Township 7N, Range 1W, of the Willamete Meridian are also served water by Well #5:

- WD0716007 – 403 Maple Hill Road N, WD0716006 – 399 Maple Hill Road N
- All addresses for the 45 parcels identified above are for Kelso, WA 98626

We are returning your application for the following reason(s):	
<input type="checkbox"/> Examination fee was not enclosed	APPLICANT PLEASE RETURN TO CASHIER, PO BOX 5128, LACEY, WA 98509-5128
<input type="checkbox"/> Section number(s) _____ is/are incomplete	APPLICANT PLEASE RETURN TO THE APPROPRIATE REGIONAL OFFICE
Explanation:	
<div>Please provide the additional information requested above and return your application by _____ (date).</div>	

Ecology staff _____ Date _____
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Section 8. WATER STORAGE

Will you be using a dam, dike, or other structure to retain or store water?

☐ YES ☒ NO

NOTE: If you will be storing 10 acre-feet or more of water and/or if the water depth will be 10 feet or more at the deepest point, and some portion of the storage will be above grade, you must also apply for a reservoir permit. You can get a reservoir permit application from the Department of Ecology.

Section 9. DRIVING DIRECTIONS

Provide detailed driving instructions to the project site.

From Kelso go south and take I-5 Exit 12. Go east over I-5 and take Old 99 South Road south to Rose Valley Road. Take a left and go east on Rose Valley Road until you reach Owl Creek Road. Take a left on Owl Creek Road and go north approximately 1,000 feet until you come to a pumphouse on the left side of the road. Well #5 is located approximately 20' west of the pumphouse.

Section 10. REQUIRED MAP

A. Attach a map of the project. **(See instructions.)**

Two maps are included. One shows the parcel number and address of each parcel that could use the water. The second map is a map of the system showing waterlines and other water system structures.

Section 11. PROPERTY OWNERSHIP

A. Does the applicant own the land on which the water will be used?

☐ YES ☒ NO

If no, explain the applicant's interest in the place of use and provide the name(s) and address(es) of the owner(s):

Water will be used at individual residences within the community water system. The applicant is the owner and manager of the water system but not the property where the water is used.

B. Does the applicant own the land on which the water source is located?

☐ YES ☒ NO

If no, submit a copy of agreement:

Well #5 is located 9' from Well #2 and is covered under the covenant for Well #2. This provides a 91' control area. A control area less than 100' is sufficient for this well due to the depth and construction of the well.

I certify that the information above is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that in order to process my application, I grant staff from the Department of Ecology access to the site for inspection and monitoring purposes. Even though I may have been assisted in the preparation of the above application by the employees of the Department of Ecology, all responsibility for the accuracy of the information rests with me.


Applicant (or authorized representative) Date

2/26/07

Landowner for place of use (if same as applicant, write "same")

Date

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